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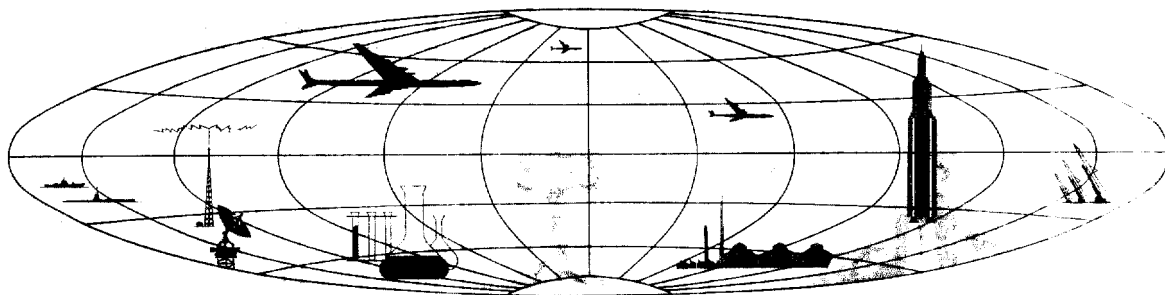
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Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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STEPANAKERT ARMY BARRACKS

(39-48N 046-44E)

STEPANAKERT, AZERBAIDZHANSKAYA SSR, USSR
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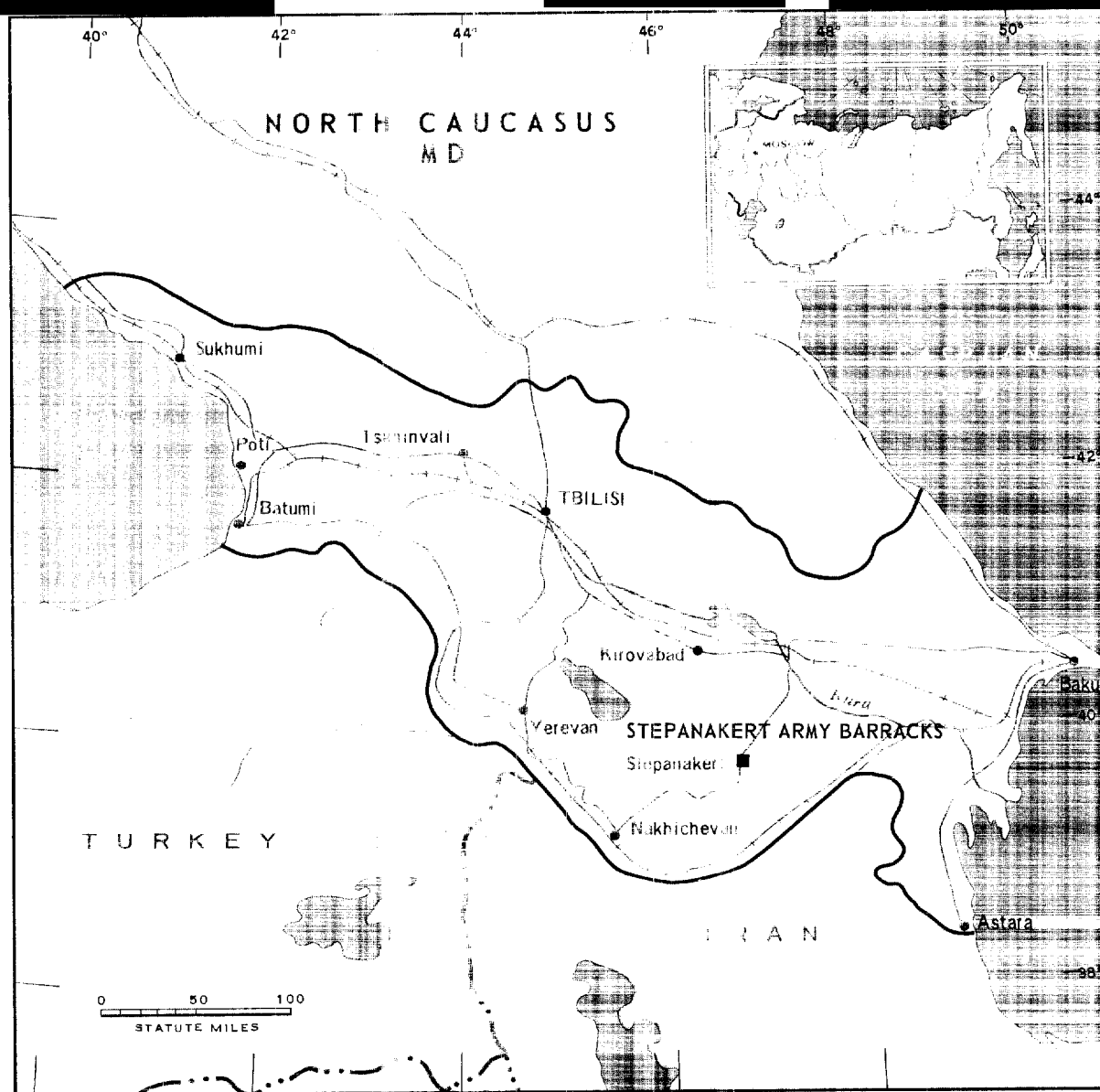


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF STEPANAKERT ARMY BARRACKS.

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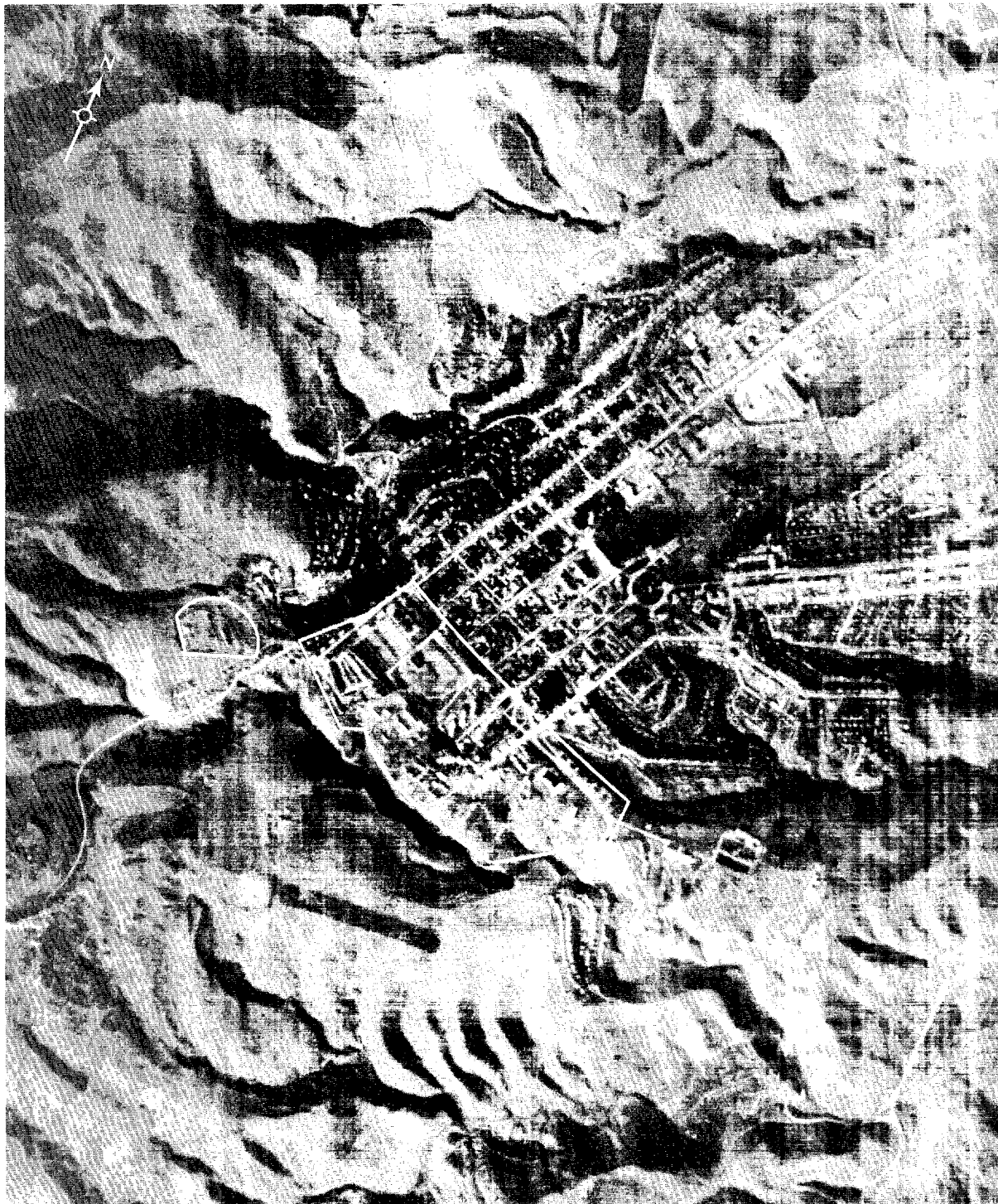


FIGURE 2. STEPANAKERT ARMY BARRACKS, STEPANAKERT, USSR, [REDACTED]

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SUMMARY

Stepanakert Army Barracks is located at the southern edge of Stepanakert, which is approximately 26 kilometers (km) southwest of Agdam and 100 km south-southeast of Kirovabad (Figure 1).

The partially secured installation covers approximately 90 acres and contains 4 administration, 18 barracks, 2 vehicle maintenance/storage, 8 storage, 50 support, and 13 quarters-type buildings. A secured ammunition storage area containing 2 storage structures and 5 bunkers is located 300 meters west of the

barracks (Figures 2 and 3).

The barracks was covered by [REDACTED] TALENT mission [REDACTED] and KEYHOLE missions in [REDACTED]. Comparative analysis reveals continuous activity and the following changes: [REDACTED] one administration, 7 barracks, 1 storage, and 2 quarters-type buildings were completed. [REDACTED] 5 barracks and 2 quarters-type buildings were completed. The poor quality of the [REDACTED] photography precludes a more detailed analysis.

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DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

The Stepanakert-Yevlakh rail line terminates in the northeast portion of Stepanakert.

Road Service

The barracks is served by Stepanakert streets.

Administration and Troop Housing Areas

Area D1 contains 2 C-shaped administration buildings, 11 multistory barracks, 2 L-shaped single-story barracks, and 20 support buildings.

Area D2 contains 2 administration buildings (1 T-shaped), 4 multistory barracks (1 L-shaped), 1 single-story barracks, and 8 support buildings.

General Storage Area

Area E contains 2 storage buildings.

Ammunition Storage Area

Area F is irregular shaped, measures approximately 360 by 420 feet, and contains 2 ammunition storage buildings and 5 partially underground ammunition bunkers.

Other Buildings

Area H1 contains 7 quarters.

Area H2 contains 6 quarters and 4 support buildings.

Equipment Storage/Maintenance Area

Area J contains a 180- by 45-foot vehicle maintenance building, a 560- by 55-foot vehicle storage building, 6 storage buildings, and 18 support buildings.

Photography [REDACTED] revealed 64 possible prime movers, 57 possible heavy artillery pieces, and 44 other vehicles. An undetermined number of vehicles were present [REDACTED]

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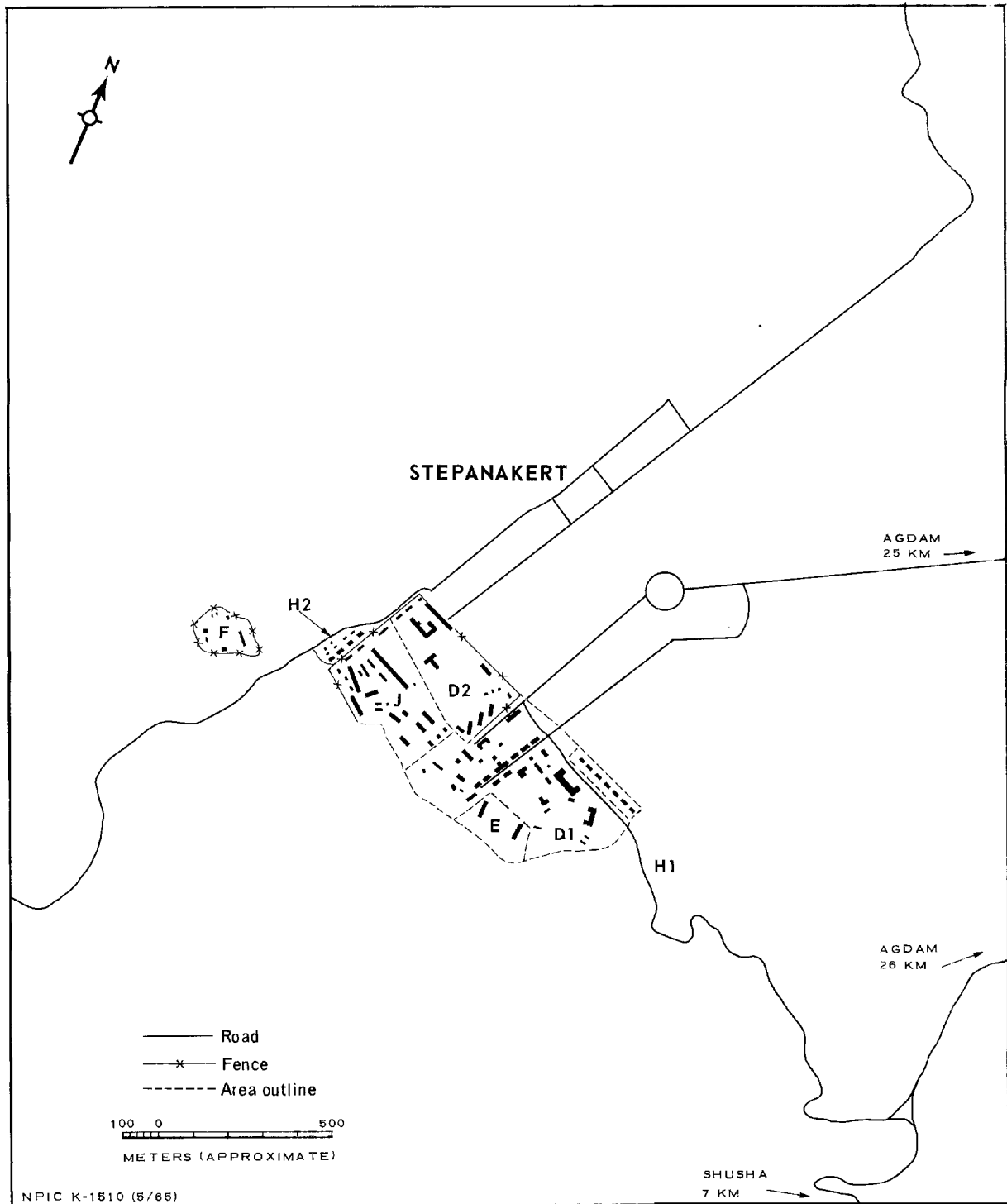


FIGURE 3. STEPANAKERT ARMY BARRACKS. Sketch compiled

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